

Dear Honorable Judge Limbaugh,

My name is Billy Biggs #41646-044,  
Case number: 1:14CR00020SNLJ-2,  
projected satisfaction date is 12-27-2024. I'm currently  
housed at F.C.I. Memphis. I'm writing this letter to  
request a public defender or a pro bono lawyer to take my  
case pertaining to the CARES Act.

The Centers for Disease Control considers the most vulnerable  
are people with a condition that affects their lungs, heart,  
kidney, immune system or who have another serious chronic  
medical condition. I have been suffering from asthma  
since I was 2 years old. I use an albuterol inhaler  
almost everyday when it's difficult to breathe. When my breathing  
doesn't get better, I have to have a breathing treatment with  
albuterol. Some nights are worse than others. I also take  
amlodipine for high blood pressure. If I was to contract  
the coronavirus it would be a road to little or no recovery.

The thought of this virus attacking the lungs is very scary  
and stressful, knowing that I already suffer from lung problems.  
Being that this is a correctional facility that holds over  
1,000 people on the compound and around 100 people in each  
dorm. It puts me at a very high risk of contracting the virus.  
Each dorm has a number of things that are shared constantly.

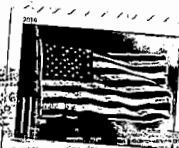
with over 100 inmates on a daily basis. Not to mention that on my road of becoming a better productive and model citizen, I have been working next to and around officers in Food Service for 4 years straight, 6 to 7 days a week. When the officers leave the facility, they enter the unknown. If I was released on home confinement my chances of contracting this virus would be decreased by 98% because I would not have to share so many essential and/or household items with so many people. I could self quarantine, stay away from other people, and not be subjected to exposure to anyone else except the person I live with. Versus trying to stay away from 100 other inmates that I'm forced to cohabitate with on a daily basis, when it comes to staying clean using the right precautionary measurements to prevent the spreading of this virus. I would also have the ability to give myself a breathing treatment because I have my own personal machine. I have maintained good conduct through out my sentence. I have completed a Parent Discussion class and the 40hr Non-Residential Drug Program. I am the HEAD cook and grade ONE in Food Service so I usually spend most of my time working. I have a wonderful support system in place right now and upon my release. I plan to live with my sister Shameka Biggs at 5718 Sycamore Ridge Rd. Memphis, TN 38134. I have a secured job with BB's remodeling until I find

something more suitable. If I have an medical emergency, I will receive treatment at Baptist Medical Hospital or the Memphis Health Center. I would also be placed on my mother's health insurance through her job at Walmart to pay for all my medical costs. I hope and pray that you understand the severity of my health related issue and the threat of an asthmatic individual like me contracting a virus that's 10 times worse than asthma and the flu.

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